



Owing to the meeting of the State Optical Association in August I will not visit that month. Meet me at the Imperial Hotel, Reynoldsville, July 24th.
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Piano Tuning

For the next two weeks I will tune your piano for \$2.00. Work guaranteed. Leave all orders at Strauss Bros.

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When we say that you cannot get any better plumbing than ours. Neither is it a flight of fancy to say that you can easily pay more without getting NEARLY AS GOOD PLUMBING. We would rather have all your work and make a little on each job than have just one order from you and no more. We like to keep busy and we do it by doing first-class plumbing at a second class price. Try us.

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Sixteen Day Excursions

\$10 OF \$12 TO ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY
Angelsea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., and Ocean City, Md.

\$12 OF \$14 TO ASBURY PARK, LONG BRANCH
West End, Elberon, Deal Beach, Allenhurst, North Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Bradley Beach, Avon, Belmar, Como, Spring Lake, Sea Girt, Manasquan, Brielle, Point Pleasant, and Bay Head, N. J.

Tickets at the lower rate good only in coaches. Tickets at the higher rate good in parlor or sleeping cars in connection with proper Pullman tickets.

July 2 and 23, August 6 and 20, and Sept. 3, 1908.
Train leaves Reynoldsville 4:25 p. m.

Tickets good for passage on trains leaving Pittsburg at 8:50 p. m. and 10:45 p. m., the latter train carrying Pullman sleeping cars only to Philadelphia and through to Atlantic City, and their connections going, and all regular trains returning within sixteen days. For stop-over privileges and full information consult nearest ticket Agent.

J. R. WOOD,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Vaccination Prevents Disease.

From page 3 of the annual report of the Bureau of Health for the Philippine Islands for 1907, the following was taken:

"The Provinces of Cavite, Batangas, Cebu, Rizal, La Laguna, Bataan and La Union, where heretofore there have been approximately 6,000 deaths annually from smallpox, have not reported one death from this disease. In all, there have been over 2,000,000 vaccinations performed, the direct effect of which was that many lives were spared and thousands of persons were saved from being disfigured for life, and at the few places at which smallpox did break out it made no headway."

Thirteen Year Old Bride.

One of the most notable events to transpire in Soldier the past week was an Italian wedding that took place in the company blocks on Monday morning. The bride was formerly Miss Anna Perri and the groom was Tony Francion, both of Soldier. The wedding took place early in the forenoon; at 10 o'clock the festivities began and were in order all day and almost all night. Mrs. Francion is undoubtedly the youngest of Jefferson county brides, although this is a common occurrence in Italy.—Sykesville Post Dispatch.

Bonds for Sale.

The school board of Sykesville borough will receive subscriptions for \$14,000 of bonds of the School District of Sykesville borough until August 10, 1908, at 7 p. m. Said bonds bear 5.5 per cent interest, payable semi-annually and are redeemable at the option of said district any time after five and within thirty years from the issue thereof, and will be issued in denominations of \$100 each. The right to reject any or all subscriptions is reserved. In subscribing please give the amount of bonds wanted and address the undersigned. I. G. MANSFIELD, Sec., Sykesville, Pa.

Best the World Affords.

"It gives me unbounded pleasure to recommend Bucklen's Arnica Salve," says J. W. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am convinced it's the best salve the world affords. It cured a felon on my thumb, and it never fails to heal every sore, burn or wound to which it is applied." 25c at Stoke & Feicht Drug Co. drug store.

Come and buy a cheap hat at Mrs. S. V. Hays'. All hats reduced to cost.

H. A. Swab, contractor, will put on a roof for you with No. 1 Certificate Bangor slate, cheap.

Are you going away on a trip? If so Bell has what you want in suit cases and trunks.

Come and buy a cheap hat at Mrs. S. V. Hays'. All hats reduced to cost.

Barefoot sandals 45c, 50c, 65c and \$1.00.

Ladies come in and see our line of jelly glasses. Bing-Stoke Co.

CARLOTTA AND NAPOLEON.

How the Crazy Empress' Curse Came to a Fulfillment.

General Henrique d'Almonte was from 1833 to 1836 the ambassador of Emperor Maximilian of Mexico to the court of Napoleon III. The most interesting and most pathetic episode to which D'Almonte was a witness and which is vividly described in his memoirs is the meeting between the scheming French emperor and Maximilian's wife, the beautiful and ambitious Carlotta, who shortly before the catastrophe at Queretaro had come to Paris to invoke Napoleon's aid for the tottering throne of her husband. But Napoleon III, who for his own perfidious purposes had by promises and allurement induced Maximilian, then archduke of Austria, to accept the "restored" throne of Montezuma, faithlessly abandoned the unfortunate prince to his cruel fate as soon as he realized his schemes to be impracticable.

Even at her arrival in Paris Carlotta's mind was already in such a high state of irritation that it was deemed advisable to have General d'Almonte at her side during the meeting with Napoleon, which took place in the empress' apartments at the Grand Hotel de Paris.

What lends special interest to that interview is the fact that the empress, crazed by desperation and fear for her husband's safety and by Napoleon's unsympathetic attitude, hurled a curse at the latter which in time was indeed fulfilled to the very letter.

"The empress," says General d'Almonte, "pleaded, partly on her knees and in the most beseeching terms, with the stony Frenchman to no avail. Then it was that I witnessed the most harrowing and dramatic scene of my life. Frantic with grief and excitement, the empress, with drawn mouth and flashing eyes, sprang to her feet, extending both her hands toward the retreating emperor.

"Leave me," she yelled in a voice which cut through me like a sword—'leave me, but go laden with my curse—the same curse that God hurled at the first murderer. May your own house and throne perish amid flames and blood, and when you are humbled in the dust, powerless and disgraced, then shall the angel of revenge trumpet into your ears the names of Maximilian and Carlotta!'"

At Sedan and by the revolution in Paris Sept. 4, 1870, the unhappy Carlotta's curse was fulfilled to the letter.—Captain Charles Klener in Los Angeles Times.

Strength of Rings.

Some elaborate calculations, backed by experiments, have been made in England to determine the breaking strength of rings. It appears that a ring of ductile metal, like malleable iron, will be pulled out into the form of a long link before it breaks and that the ultimate strength of the ring is virtually independent of its diameter. Fracture finally occurs as the result of almost pure tension, and the resistance to breaking is a little less than twice that of a rod of the same cross section subjected to a straight pull. As the ring increases in diameter there appears to be a slight approach toward equality, with double the strength of a bar. Thus a three inch ring, made of three-quarter inch iron, broke at nineteen and one-half tons, a four inch ring at nineteen and nine-tenths tons and a six inch ring at twenty tons, the strength of a bar of the same metal being ten and one-half tons.

Out of His Mouth.

His youngest grandchild had managed to get possession of a primer and was trying to eat it.

"Pardon me for taking the words out of your mouth, little one," said the professor, hastily interposing.—Chicago

Just Exactly Right.

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for several years, and find them just exactly right," says Mr. A. A. Felton, of Harrisville, N. Y. New Life Pills relieve without the least discomfort. Best remedy for constipation, biliousness and malaria. 25c at Stoke & Feicht Drug Co. drug store.

Adam's have low shoes at prices that will interest you.

WANT COLUMN.

Rates:—One cent per word for each and every insertion.

LOST—Roman gold locket and chain between Shick & Wagner and Evans.

LOST—Bunch of keys near First National bank. Finder please return to D. W. Atwater.

FOR RENT—House on Brown st., West Reynoldsville. Inquire of W. W. Fales.

FOR SALE—A nice flock of Ancona chickens, twelve in all Inquire of Rev. J. W. Myers.

FOR RENT OR SALE—The L. F. Hetrick property on Third street. Inquire of C. W. Flynn.

For sale—Houses, lots and farms. Inquire E. Neff, Esq., Reynoldsville, Pa.

FOR RENT—Good six room house on Hill st., near Fifth. Inquire L. M. Snyder.

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PRESIDENT CRAWFORD, MEADVILLE, PA.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the several district assessments of taxes have been made and duplicates of the borough and county taxes for Reynoldsville borough have been delivered to me by the proper authorities for the collection of the same. Therefore, that in accordance with the requirements of the Act of Assembly approved June 25th, 1885, due notice is hereby given to all persons who are desirous, and who shall within sixty days from date of this notice make payment of any taxes charged against them in said duplicates, shall be entitled to a reduction of five per centum from the amount thereof, and any person who shall fail to pay such taxes charged against them within six months from date of this notice shall be charged five per centum additional on all such unpaid taxes. But it is expressly stipulated that positively no rebate or per centum will be allowed on partially paid taxes. That every afternoon and evening of each week during the last two weeks of said sixty days, between the hours of 1.00 p. m. and 9, I will be found at The City Hotel, on Main street, where payment of state and county (or any others) taxes may be made and five per cent saved.

WM. COPPING,

July 1, 1908. Collector of Taxes.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in post office at Reynoldsville, Pa., for week ending July 4, 1908.

Miss Carrie Davis, F. W. Hutchinson, Mrs. Bertha Hoy, Miss Ella Samuels, Miss Edna Smith, William Tavender, A. Z. Zeigler, Mrs. W. F. Wolfgang.

Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.

E. C. BURNS, P. M.

It Can't Be Beat.

The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitters does all that's claimed for it. For stomach, liver and kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine." Mr. Harden is right; it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at Stoke & Feicht Drug Co. drug store. 50c.

Walk-Over tan low shoes. Price \$3.50 now \$2.75. Adam's.

Etched jelly glasses 25c dozen Bing-Stoke Co.

Come and buy a cheap hat at Mrs. S. V. Hays'. All hats reduced to cost.

Champion tennis shoes for women at Nolan's.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to whomsoever it may concern, that the Board of Directors of the School District of the Borough of Sykesville, County of Jefferson and State of Pennsylvania, will present their petition to the Court of Common Pleas of Jefferson county, on Monday, August 10th, 1908, praying for a decree authorizing them to borrow \$14,000, and increase the indebtedness of said School District by such amount, for the purpose of erecting and equipping a new school house adequate to accommodate the schools to be held and maintained in, and for the use of the School District of the Borough of Sykesville, by issuing coupon bonds of the denomination of One Hundred Dollars each, said bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5.5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and said bonds to be redeemed within thirty years from the date thereof, with the option and right reserved to said School District to redeem any number or amount of said bonds on any interest date after the expiration of five years, and also for leave to file their statement as required by the Act of Assembly approved April 23, 1874, and its supplements.

By order of the Board of School Directors of the School District of Sykesville Borough, Jefferson county, Pennsylvania.
F. L. SADDLER, President.
I. G. MANSFIELD, Secretary.



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Dry Goods

All our 25 cent White Goods,	19 cents a yard
All our 25 cent Ribbons	19 cents a yard
All our 15 cent Gingham	12 cents a yard
All our 12 1/2 cent Gingham	10 cents a yard
All our Muslin Underwear	One-Fourth Off
All our Ladies' Skirts	Reduced
All our Ladies' Waists	Reduced
All our 8 cent Embroideries	5 cents a yard
All our 12 and 15 cent Embroideries,	10 cts. yard
All our Calicoes	6 cents a yard
All our 15 cent Percales	12 1/2 cents a yard
All our 12 1/2 cent Percales	10 cents a yard
One lot Ladies' Top Skirts sold at \$5.50 to	\$7.00, for \$2.98

Shoes

All Douglass \$2.50 Shoes	\$1.98
All Douglass \$3.00 Shoes	\$2.49
All Douglass \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes	\$2.98
All Florsheim \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes	\$2.98
All Clarice \$3.00 Ladies' Shoes	\$2.19
All Dorris \$2.00 Ladies' Shoes	\$1.49
All Bernalda \$1.50 Ladies' Shoes	\$1.19
All Men's \$2.00 Work Shoes	\$1.89
All Misses' and Children's \$1.25 Shoes	98c
All Children's 25c soft-sole Shoes	19c

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